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## VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Steve Palmisano, Environmental Projects Analyst Robert Ketley, Senior Utilities Engineer City of Watsonville Watsonville Municipal Service Center 320 Harvest Drive P.O. Box 50000 Watsonville, CA 95076-5000

Re: Notice of Violations and Intent to File Suit Under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act

Dear Messrs. Ketley and Palmisano:

I am writing on behalf of the California Sportfishing Protection Alliance ("CSPA") in regard to violations of the Clean Water Act ("the Act") occurring at the City of Watsonville's Watsonville Municipal Service Center facility, located at 320 Harvest Drive, in Watsonville, California ("the Facility" or "MSC"). The WDID number for the Facility is 3 44I003034. CSPA is a non-profit public benefit corporation dedicated to the preservation, protection and defense of the environment, wildlife and natural resources of California waters and the Pacific Ocean. This letter is being sent to you as the responsible owner, officer, or operator of the Facility. Unless otherwise noted, Steve Palmisano, Robert Ketley, and the City of Watsonville shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as "the City of Watsonville."

This letter addresses the City of Watsonville's unlawful discharges of pollutants from the Facility to the City of Watsonville's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System, which then conveys storm water discharged from the MSC to Watsonville Slough and ultimately to the Pacific Ocean. This letter addresses the ongoing violations of the substantive and procedural requirements of the Clean Water Act and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") General Permit No. CAS000001, State Water